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several colds and is a mighty good thing to have in your medicine chest. few days to Freemont, O. Mr. Benj.

Mrs. Velma Mosley-Perkins Columbus. Ohio, is in the city visiting friends. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Boyd of 1503, 14th Avenue, North. Mrs. Perkins, after leaving Nashville, lived in St. Louis. Mo., and from St. Louis they moved to She was before her marriage, a Miss Velma Mosley.



# R. R. TIME TABLES.

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OUT OF TOWN NOTES

DICKSON. Mr. Robert Hurd has enlisted in the U. S. Navy, Norfolk, Va., also Mr. Mr. Sam Flowers of East Dickson

made a flying trip to Columbia Thurs-Church, is fil.

FREEMONT (OHIO).

Get a bottle from your druggist or her mother in Nashville, Tenn., has Comer. Mrs. Jennie Martin is here. hope she will be able to return in a McLemore, who is employed at the Lincoln Stove Company, got his hand badly hurt but is some better now. Mrs. Amos will spend Christmas in Nashville with her friends. Mr. and Mrs. James Powell will spend Christmas in Detroit with their aunt.

DOYLE.

Miss Leola Barton finished her last three days of school on last Wednesday and on Thursday evening left Doyle for her home in Columbia to spend the Christmas holidays and then enter school at the State Nor-mal. There were a host of friends school children to bid her good bye at the station. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gribble spent the week end with their rother and sister-in-law in Nashville, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Broyles. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bartly spent Friday night with their mother, Mrs. Ida Cummings. They were on a moving tour going out in life as newly married nome-builders. Mr. Barnom Martin was in company with them. The little Misses Gertrude Cummings and Josephine Doyle are the guests of Mrs. Florie Bartly of Warren County, Miss Sarah Shockley on her way to Nashville spent Friday night with sister. Settie Holden. Mr. Foster Shockley, who was en route to Chartanooga, also spent Friday night with Mr. Tom Vaughn. Mr. E. R. Shockley is in from Nashville and spent Sunday evening the guest of Mr and Mrs. eslie Mitchell. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mitchell are here from McMinnville to spend the Christmas holidays with heir father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mitchell Mr. Sweet Duncan and Mr. Joe Scott of Sparta were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Doyle. Rev. Wm. Holden went to his appointment at River Hill Chapel and had an interesting time. He returned and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs.

Chatt. and Atlanta. 3:11 am 1 40 an Shatt, Atlanta, Jacksonville. connects for all branch pts. 8:30 am 6:54 pn "Dixis Flyer" Chat. Atlanta and Jacksonville. 11:52 am 4:45 pn Chatt. and East, con.

(\*) Shelbyville. Shelbyville. Shelbyville was thrown into consternation by the announcement that the public schools would close until next fall. Lack of funds is given as the prime cause. The schools were never in better shape. The Chattneogra. Atl'nta.
Wash. Phila. New
York ..... 9:15 pm 6:85 an hardship, but there was nothing to do but submit to the inevitable. Miss Ellen Mitchell will open subscription over last week taking the state exgone to Huntsville to spend a while with her sister, Mrs. Dave Sanders. Mrs. Lavonia Dowell, as soon school closed, made a bee line for Martin. She was accompanied Scotts Chapel will Miss Bessie miss Mrs. Dowell. She was indeed a live wire. We failed to mention the marriage of Mr. Joseph Thompson and Miss Edna Jones which occurred a few weeks ago. Last week William Ogleton and Miss Mollie Wiggins were united in marriage. Most of the Normal students are home for the holidays. They all look as if they have been well fed, and all show marked improvement. Nearly all of the out-of-town students are Normalites. Christmas Eve showed a deal of eash among our folks Emancipation exercises this year will be held at Scotts Chapel, we are informed. The programs are not yet Mrs. Sadie (Hillsman) Campbell of St. Louis is here to spend the holidays with her parents. Mrs. Lucile Cartwright has closed her school and is now at home. She will make a short trip to Mt. Pleasant. Miss Lucile Dennis will leave in a few days for Atlanta, Ga.

SOUTH PITTSBURG. The Christmas holidays are being pent quietly by the colored population here. Fifty copies of the Christmas number of the Globe were taken like hot cakes by both races and the arent was short of papers for some of the patrons. We congratulate you on your Christmas number. Some of the white people buy a copy, others borrow a copy of this splendid paper An irresistible broad smile, because of the general satisfaction it gives plays upon our face. The Christmas program on the night of the 24th at Mt. Bethlehem Baptist Church was a decided success. Mr. Wm. Hill ably assisted by the pastor and Miss G. Robinson, planist, did credit to himself as well as to the church. The performers evidenced good training. Mrs. J. J. McFirov was mistress of to comment on the numbers ren-Bethel A. M. E. Church, Rev. by the children were exceptionally seemingly interfere with the festive a speedy recovery. Mrs. boards that had been planned previously Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Smith on Cedar avenue had for their guests Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Martin and Mrs. J. M. Hawkins Christmas day. A most sumptuous dinner at 2:30 p. m. was enjoyed immensely. Mr. and Mrs. James Polk were host and hostess of a well planned Christmas dinner. Those who partook were as valescing. Mr. Chas. Wilson, who follows: Dr. W. T. Astrapp and fam-Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Lieutenant Lightfoot, Mr. J. J. Cummings, Mr. aren't our doctors marksmen, and and Mrs. J. J. McElroy, Randolph Chapel M. E. Church program is due

disagreeable weather may postponement. Mr Buford Martin of Indianapolis, Ind., is here for ten days visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs. J. D. Martin. Mrs. Sallie Jones of Chattanooga is visiting home Mr. and Mrs. James Bonds of Shaw, Ga., are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Sallie Lane, Mr. Will Martin, near McMinnville, is visiting his brother, J. D. Martin, this city. Mr. and Mrs. George Gaines have returned from Chattanooga. Mr. Wilson Pryor of Colorado Springs, Colo., Chicago, Iil., reached here Thursday and will spend the week-end with Mrs. W. J. Astrapp and family. Mrs. is the only daughter of G W. Franklin of Chattanooga, Tenn. Lieutenant Victor C. Lightfoot of Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., is spend ing the Christmas holidays very pleasantly with home folks. Mrs. J

Martin is in Nashville this week with her mother, who has been a trifle ill for several days. Miss Tres sia Rankin of Dunlap is the charming guest of Miss Annie Stapler, this city. Mrs. Eliza Thornton granddaughter, Alice, are visiting Mesdames Lane and L. Smith. A Happy New Year to you.

BOONVILLE. On Wednesday evening from 1 to o'clock there was a shower given in honor of Miss Nannie M. Reese bride-elect, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Reese. The hostess was assisted by Miss Mary Reese, also Mesdames Mamie and Gertrude The bride-elect was accompanied in the sitting room by little Willie and Arnette Reese, niece and nephew of the bride-elect. The room was beautifully decorated with red and green. She received many beautiful and valuable presents which attested the popularity of the bride. A two course menu was served. marriage of Miss Nannie M. Reese to Mr. John Bonner was solemnized at Church, Mulberry, officiated. The bride wore a beautiful coat suit of midnight blue. Miss Mary F. Reese, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a lovely gown of Phelps played the wedding march. Just the family and a few intimate triends were preesnt. Mr. and Mrs. Bonner left at once in a six-seated Buick for Fayetteville. For the pres-Shelbyville was thrown into con-sternation by the announcement that the public schools would close until the New Year they will go north to

#### UNION CITY. Mrs. Mozelle Wilkins from Terrill

was in the city last week visiting re-

latives. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCall.

spent an enjoyable Christmas. Miss night and the emotion in their songs world war, will immensely improve Sallie Rainey, who is yet on the and prayers produced an abnormal his moral status. Eighty thousand sick list, is very much improved. Miss Mary Fusett, the most excellent and yet dashy little teacher from Kenton, pent the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. A. M. Gilbert, Mrs. Morcan Wells left Thursday for her nome in Brownsville, where she will remain until she can grasp that opportunity that will convey her near her husband, Mr. Morgan Wells, who left this city with merited honors as a soldier. Mrs. Morgan Wells is placing an excellent example before young ladies. It is loyalty, reliability, stickability. trustworthiness and Young ladies, sit up and take notice last week to assist her to make her final departure. Mrs. Annie Williams, who is on the sick list, is convalesc-An excellent cantata was rendered at the A. M. E. Church on Tuesly night, December 25th. A splendid audience testified that the entertainment was uplifting and met the has exerted upon the world." The approval of all present. Miss Pauline Wells, supervisor of this cantata, deainstaking. Miss Hattie Donelson of Cairo and Miss Decemly Smith of Elksville, Ill., have returned home after spending quite an enjoyable visit with their sister, Mrs. Ada Hill, of this city, Mrs. Garrett and little son were also the guests of Mrs. Ada Hill during the holidays. Messrs. Sam and Herbert Lowe, who have been on the sick list for quite a while, are very much improved; the latter has gone to work. Mrs. Patha Moore, who is on he sick list, is gradually improving. Christmas tree last Monday night at the Haptist church was beautiful and aden with presents. The pastor, Rev. Harris, of Ripley, is in good cheer and feels that God and his members will take very good care of him. Lula Blve of Fulton, Ky., Miss Slater from Hickman and a number of friends from Martin, Tenn., were the mests of Mrs. Lillian Smith, who rovally entertained them Thursday night during the Christmas holidays, Musie by Mr. Gentry Wade. Miss Pearlie ceremonies. Space will not allow us | Crutchfield, who is teaching in the city schools of Paris, Tenn., a young dered which as a whole were simply lady who was born, reared and educated at Union City; a young lady W. J. Hancock, pastor, pulled off a who is bettering the conditions of the very fine program. Mrs. E. M. Oliver, organist, an Mr. J. J. Cummings. to Union City is spending the holi-Prof. H. B. Douglass and Mrs. Emma | days with mother, the name so dear Bivens promoters. The performances to all. Little Gertrude Ross is up, out and gone to school. Miss Lagood. Santa's appearance provoked verta Wilson is better and will regreat applause. The A. M. E. Zion turn to work in a few days. Mrs. church and the C. P. churches held Callie Warren, who has been on the praiseworthy exercises the same sick list, is very much improved and night. It seemed that they had a foreknowledge of the heavy rainfall Miss Sallie Whittaker, a new name of Christmas day which did not on the sick list, is very hopeful of Annie

Cowan is also newly enrolled on the

sick list. Miss Henrietta Glasper of

Ledford, Ky., who visited her rela-

tive, Mrs. Martha Dean, a patient of

Dr. David, returned home last week

after discovering that the Union City

doctors "will take good care of you."

Mr. Curtis Miliken, who was shot

Sunday night, December 16th, is con-

has been seriously ill, is up, out and

"MADE IN NASHVILLE" START R GHT Nashvile, Tennessee

Mrs. Fannie Lawrence is

yet very ill, but her recovery is hope-

ful and soon expected. To the col-

ored citizens of Union City: You will

find all your leaders at the A. M. E.

Church on Sundays afternoon at 3:00

o'clock. Follow them for they bring

good news and glad tidings con-cerning loved ones who are now at war for you and me. Follow them and support them with your best wishes your applause and your pocketbooks. Union City has seven good churches with seven good pastors doing a tremendous good work. It has an excellent two-story brick school building, picturesquely located, with six competent and patient teachers who are really and truly delivering the goods; two excellent grocery stores with capacities full and over-flowing are selling as cheap as any; o barber shops that will give you a first-class haircut or straighten same, a nice, clean shave or a snowy white bleaching, a nice shoe shine or a tan to black stain. Wonderful barber shops we have; two firstclass restaurants that keep every eatable pleasing to the appetite which sells cheap enough to avoid starvation, even for those who work now and then; two first-class hairdressers for ladies who can change the rough to a polished satin; two music teachers who can annul the control of Christians' feet and yet entertain the most respectful with classicals of the highest type; two shoemakers who can make shoes fit the gawkiest feet; a pressing shop that will make clothes fit like neat paper on the wall, and last but not least, this city has more than one Joshua. We don't mean the Joshua who made the sun stand still, but the Joshua that made the moon shine. Now Union City needs a milliner, a draper, a Y. M. C. A. building, a drug store and an undertaker who is jack of all bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reese, December 22nd. Rev. W. T. Denny, pastor of St. John A. W. T. tend to hold it. The writer has seen the hand writing on the wall which reads: He who thinks he can make a living by burying the patients of the doctors of Union City is crazy church Sunday, December 30th, at 3:00 p.m. (The ladies of the O. T. V. Club of the C. P. Church are giving a fair this week that is excelled by no fair ever given in our beautiful through Saturday night. December 29th. Valuable prizes are given away each night to one holding a lucky five cents ticket which admits you to view all of its beautiful sceneries. Mr. Curtis Miliken, who was shot Sunday night, December 16th. school at the public school building.
Tuition rates will be reasonable. Mrs.
Ethel Holman of Tullahoma was
turned from Terrill, where she ing was held over him on Sunday borne forward on the wave of the rapidity of circulation; hence bleed- Negro soldiers have been enlisted early call. The situation was mastered and the bleeding stopped after the arrival of the doctor.

#### MEHARRY NEWS.

Christmas Day was appropriately celebrated at Meharry Auditorium Tuesday by representatives of the Medical, Dental, Pharmaceutical and Nurse Training Departments of the college. The president, faculty and concurrence, stu ents of Walden University also Mrs. Cora Holloway of Brownsylle participated. These exercises were war with a double prisited her sister, Mrs. Morgan Wells, held under the auspices of the Melege and opportunity. harry Y. M. C. A. The exercises were well attended and the representatives performed their respective parts creditably to themselves and the departments represented. The theme was The Birth of Christ and the wonderful effect the Christ life story as proclaimed by the shepherds expressing "Peace on earth and goodserves much credit for discretion and will toward men" each member expressed must uldmately take possession of the hearts of men and then wars will be no more.

Dr. E. L. Grant, now located in St. Louis, was an interested caller at his Alma Mater. The doctor was en route to his home in Georgia to visit account of himself and his fellow practitioners in the large Missouri

Dr. J. F. Gunn, 1917, has been in Chicago, Ill., since his graduation. He is now looking around for a suitable

location. Drs. D. E. Payne, '17, C. W. Bibbs, 16, W. H. Hammonds, '17 have been commissioned in the United States Navy and are now awaiting orders. these brave young men join new laurels to the valor of the brother in Black.

Ala., on January 18th.

Many Meharry students are spending a few days of vacation at home

with parents and loved ones. Meharry will observe only two days for holiday season, December 25th and January 1st. Classes will recite as on other days except these

two days Mr. James Pryrus of Goodlettsville who spent several weeks at Hubbard hospital, especially by the nurses. from the members of the Alumni As-

sociation January 1st promises to be the biggest day of the school year at Meharry. The public is invited.

.. 35 BOSWORTH IN CHICAGO. Miss Sarah Bosworth left the city Monday night and is in Chicago, Ill.

where she will join her mother, who went to Chicago some time ago. They will make Chicago their home The many friends of the Bosworth

gone to work. Just think of it. But for the present. aren't we proud of them, even though we don't tell them so? Mrs. Martha family regretted to see them go as of the principal features of the meet



in the city. For many years Miss ensuing year, also a full report of Hosworth has been an employee of the past year's work will be given the National Baptist Publishing The presidents of the local auxilia-Board. She was considered one of the best book binders in the estab-

#### TO TEN LILLION COL-ORED CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES:

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24, 1917. Greetings of the Season: The world is engulfed in the red ruin of war. The present titanic conflict is not due to the inherent devutry of one nation or the innate goodness of another. The accumulative ethical energies of society for generations have been dammed up by the barrier of hatred and greed. The stored up power is now breaking through the barrier with cataclysmic outburst. The social fabric is being shaken to its very foundation. As outcome of the war the re adjustment of the social structure will be more radical than that effected by the French Revolution. The transforming effect upon the status of the Negro will be scarcely less momentuous than the Emancipation Proclamation:

The democratization of the world. coined as a fitting phrase, will be translated into actuality. The Declaration of Independence, penned by a slave holder, sounded the deathknell of slavery, although three-quarters of a century elapsed between promise and fulfillment. The democratization of the world is but a restatement of this doctrine in terms of present day attitude of the world. Political autocracy and race your library. The invitation is exautocracy will be buried in the same grave. Hereafter, no nation however strong, will be permitted to override a weaker neighbor by sheer dominance of power; and no race will be permitted to impose a ruthless regime upon the weaker breeds of men through sheer assumption of white crepe de chine. Miss Omega and should be carried at once to the Denny very sweetly sang "I met you one night in June." Miss Bettle meeting will be held at the Baptist Armenians; Russia the Jews; and America, the Negroes, with a fuller measure of justice and consideration

than heretofore. The peoples of all lands who are heavy laden and overborne will be little city. They began Monday night, December 24th, and will continue The Negro problem is involved in the The Negro problem is involved in the problem of humanity. The whole is greater than any of its parts. The Negro will share in the general momentum imported to social welfare. Already, he has been admitted to industrial opportunity in the north was forced to call in Dr. Walker with manifest reaction upon the

is moral status Eighty he cause of Dr. Walker's and seven hundred Negroes have been commissioned as officers in the army of the United States, A Negro has been made assistant cabinet officer whose function is to adjust harmoniously the race's relation to the pending struggle.

parent in two affirmative decisions first public meeting. rendered by the Supreme Court of

war with a double portion of privi-

trials and tribulations will work out come us, woeful will be our lot ina conflagration which threatens the fire department. Let us help put out campaign. An offering of \$7.15 the conflagration which threatens his parents. Dr. Grant gave a good the world, and then make the world our lasting debtor. We must stand shoulder to shoulder with our white fellow citizens to fight for the freedom of the world, outside of our own national circle, and then we must hold them to moral consistency of mamtaining a just and equitable regime inside of that circle. Democracy like charity should begin at home or at least it should prevail there. Let us fight to the finish to the erothers already at the front and add fect that no nation shall bereafter dare to attempt to make an international 'treaty a scrap of paper. It Dr. C. V. Roman will deliver the must therefore follow then, as corol-Emancipation Proclamation address lary, that no nation will henceforth for the Civic Club of Birmingham, allow its own constitution, which is an itra-national treaty, to be made a

scrap of paper. The tide of democracy is sweeping through the world like a mighty river. The race problem and other social ills are but as marshes, backwaters, stagnant pools, estuaries, which have been shut off from tree circulation with the main current. But the freshet of freedom is now Hospital, is improving. He is much overflowing its bed and purifying pleased with services received at the all the stamant waters in its onward sweep to the ocean of human liberty The last issue of the Meharry News and brotherhood. Fortunate indeed brings grateful acknowledgements are we to be borne forward upon its beneficent bosom at such a time

> KELLY MILLIER, Howard University, Washington, D.

THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY BAP-TIST CITY UNION.

The Woman's Missionary Baptist City Union will hold their quarterly meeting at 2:00 p. m., at the Mt Bethel Baptist Church, Cowan Street, East Nashville, Rev. D. A. Whitta ker, pastor, Friday, Jan. 4, 1918, One to be held tonight, the 25th. The Valentine is newly enrolled on the they are one of the oldest families ing will be election of officers for the

ries and their members are request ed to be present and don't forget the linen shower for the National Bap tist Theological Seminary. one is requested to bring something for this worthy enterprise. We are asking that each officer be on hand that we may help formulate plans that we may by divine aid be enabled to raise our standard a little higher this incoming year. At 8:30 p. m., a special program will be rendered followed by a sermon preached by one of our eminent divines. Take First Street car, get off at Crutcher street and go west.

MR. CARL D. MERRILL WILL GO NORTH FOR GREAT NORTHERN.

Mr. Carl D. Merrill, new assistant manager of the Great Northern firm, will leave for Cincinnati, Louisville and Covington, Ky., in the interest of buying colored newspapers and magazines, which will be on sale at the Great Northern firm. He will be gone for several days.

NEGRO PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Negro Month.

The month of January is set aside as Negro Month. Special stress will be put upon Negro literature. Churches.

We are asking every pastor in the city to speak a few moments on the first Sunday in January on The Value of Our Library in connection with the We extend a cordial invitation to all pastors to at least make one visit to the library and register as having come to see how the library can serve the church. Come in and make a personal visit with the librarian and get better acquainted with tended to you and your church.

Clubs.

Every club is asked to send a representative to make a special visit during the month of January and register for his or her club, and see what we can do for your club. every club's slogan be this month— Every member of the club a reader's card at the library.

Story-Hour.

Last Saturday there was special Christmas music on the Victrola. Miss Cushin of the Fireside School told Christmas stories.

January Story-Hour. First Saturday—Negro musicians. Miss Braden of Walden University. Miss Averitte-Smaller Children of State Normal. Second Saturday— Negro Folk Songs. Prof. Work, Fisk University.

Third Saturday-Negro Literature Miss Cashin, Fisk University. Miss Lowe, smaller children. Fourth Saturday-Dunbar.

Mrs. Brumfield, smaller children.

Students of Expression, State Nor-The library will open for service January 3. Start the New Year right by preparing for life. Then get Reader's Card. Make a visit to the

library in January. The Assembly room of the Negro Public Library was filled Sunday even-ing, December 23, to listen to the pro-The improved attitude of the gram prepared by the Forward Quest white race toward the Negro is ap- Girls, the three circles uniting in their

Approaching the Christmas season,

the United States with unanimous an effort was made in order that every one present might have the "Xmas The Negro will emerge from this Spirit" and pass it on to others.

A pantomine, "The Shepherd and the wise men" was rendered by the Every Negro should be loyal and young ladies who were assisted by patriotic, although there are injus- Rev. T. M. Brumfield, who read the tices and discriminations which try story from the Bible as it was being our souls. If we overcome, these acted out. Musical numbers were appropriately interspersed by Walden a more exceeding weight of advan- College, Treble Clef, Miss Selene Mc- Is a hair preparation that feeds the scalp tage. But if we allow them to over- Gavoc, Mrs. H. A. Cameron, Miss Marea Coombs, Dr. I. H. Martin and nappy, kinky hair grow so long soft and deed. To stand sulkily by in plain- A. L. Davis. At the end of this, alky that you can fix it up any style you tive aloofness, because of just grievances would be of the same kind of folly as to refuse to help extinguish "Christmas Spirit."

A Draw of Stand Sulkity by in plant to prayer was offered and Dr. J. C. Caldwish. Plough's Hair Dressing Beautifies well talked on the meaning of the or sent by mail 25c (coin or stamps).

A gold link was presented Miss Matdestruction of one's native city be- tie Moore, who brought in the highest cause he has a complaint against the number of members in the recent taken for the milk and ice fund for babies. Miss Diggs of Fisk University rendered a vocal selection. Christmas baskets were sent to the

Shut-Ins Xmas Day by the Big Sis-

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hit of the age, ontitled

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made a decided hit with all classes of people and in some of the leading churches of Chicago, after reading an announcement and simply the reading of the words of the song, persons have rushed in groups to buy it faster than they could be hanged out. Price 25c s copy. A liberal discount given to persons wishing to be agents. Persons wish ing to be agents send \$1.00 and we will send you a number of copies of the song that you will begin selling at once. Persons wishing a single copy. will send 25c. Write at ence that you may be the first in the field. This is one song that you can make money on by selling it to people of your community. It should be in every home The song is written about an idea; American mother—the greatest character portrayal in American literature Send all money by money order of

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